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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a)  
(Small Entity)

Docket No.  
MASOH-71972

In Re Application Of: Harry N. Mason

Application No.	Filing Date	Examiner	Customer No.	Group Art Unit	Confirmation No.
10/806,739	3/23/2004	Katherine W. Mitchell	24201	3677	2560

Invention: SECURE INTERCHANGEABLE CHARM EARRING SYSTEM

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:

This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a response to the Office Action of 4/8/2005 in the above-identified application.

The requested extension is as follows (check time period desired):

One month       Two months       Three months       Four months       Five months

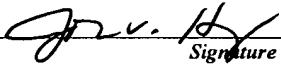
from: 7/8/2005      Date until: 10/8/2005      Date

Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27

The fee for the extension of time is \$510 and is to be paid as follows:

- A check in the amount of the fee is enclosed.
- The Director is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 06-2425
- If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor and charge any additional fees which may be required to Deposit Account No. 06-2425
- Payment by credit card. Form PTO-2038 is attached.

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Signature

Dated: October 10, 2005

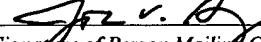
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